

## Message Text

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FOLLOWING TELEGRAM FROM SEOUL DATED MAY 2, 1978 SENT  
SECSTATE WASHDC INFO USCG HONOLULU HI IS REPEATED TO YOU:  
QUOTE

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USCG PASS USGAO FOR SHELEY

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: AGAO, MARR, MASS, KS

SUBJ: VISIT OF GAO OFFICIALS

REF: STATE 104319

1. EMBASSY IS HAPPY TO OFFER ANY ASSISTANCE POSSIBLE TO  
VISITING GAO OFFICIALS. ALTHOUGH TIMING OF VISIT PROPOSED IN  
REFTEL IS CONVENIENT TO EMBASSY, WE QUESTION WHETHER, IN LIGHT  
OF PRESIDENT'S RECENT ANNOUNCEMENT MODIFYING TROOP WITHDRAWAL  
SHEDULE, VISIT AT THIS TIME WOULD BE AS BENEFICIAL TO GAO AS  
ONE AT A LATER DATE WHEN WE WILL HAVE A BETTER PICTURE OF HOW  
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THE MOFIFIED WITHRAWAL WILL LOOK. MODIFICATION HAS NECESSITATED  
REVISION OF ESTIMATE HERE OF REQUIRED WITHDRAWAL ACTIONS  
AND HAS RAISED SOME ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS CONCERNING  
WITHDRAWAL IMPLEMENTATION WHICH MAY NOT BE RESOLVED PRIOR TO  
PROPOSED ARRIVAL DATE.

2. SHOULD GAO GROUP PREFER TO ADHERE TO MAY 16-20

SCHEDULE, WE WILL OF COURSE PROVIDE SUPPORT AS REQUESTED REFTEL. RESERVATIONS HAVE BEEN MADE AT TOKYU HOTEL. CHOSUN AND PLAZA ARE BOOKED FOR MAY 16-19 PERIOD.

3. AS THE PROPOSED SUBJECT MATTER MORE DIRECTLY CONCERNS USFK, THEY RECOMMEND THAT THEY, RATHER THAN EMBASSY, HOST GAO TEAM. PLEASE ADVISE.

4. THUS FAR USFK HAS NOT RECEIVED ANY DIRECT NOTICE OF GAO TEAM'S VISIT. EMBASSY AGREES THAT USFK WOULD BE MORE APPROPRIATE HOST.  
SNEIDER UNQUOTE VANCE

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